AO 91 (Rev. 11/11) Criminal Complaint UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 2014 for the David J. Bradley, Clerk of Court Southern District of Texas United States of America Case No. C-14-1317M **David Gonzales** Defendant(s) CRIMINAL COMPLAINT I, the complainant in this case, state that the following is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. 09/05/2014 On or about the date(s) of in the county of in the Southern District of Texas , the defendant(s) violated: Offense Description Code Section Title 21 USC, Section 841(a)(1) Unlawful for any person to knowingly or intentionally manufacture, distribute. dispense, or possess with intent to distribute a controlled substance. This criminal complaint is based on these facts: See attached affidavit. Tontinued on the attached sheet. Complainant's signature Nicolas A. Kucera, Special Agent Printed name and title Sworn to before me and signed in my presence. Judge's signature Corpus Christi, Texas B. Janice Ellington City and state:

Printed name and title

AFFIDAVIT

I, Nicolas A. Kucera, being duly sworn on oath states:

I am a Special Agent with the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), assigned to the Houston Division, Corpus Christi Resident Agency, and have been so employed since July 2010. Prior to employment with the FBI, I was employed as a Police Officer for Prince William County, Virginia, for four (4) years. The following facts and information are known by the Affiant and were provided by other law enforcement officers directly involved in the investigation of this matter. These facts and circumstances are being provided as probable cause in support of a complaint for violations of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1)--unlawful for any person to knowingly or intentionally manufacture, distribute, dispense, or possess with intent to distribute a controlled substance.

Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) Criminal Investigations Division (CID) Agent Chris

Ybanez received information from a credible DPS Cooperating Individual (CI) that DAVID GONZALES was
selling narcotics from 1211 South McCampbell Street, Aransas Pass, Texas.

On September 3, 2014, the CI was observed by Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Safe Streets Task Force Officers (TFOs) arriving at 1211 South McCampbell Street. Shortly thereafter, the CI departed and the CI and Agent Ybanez met. The CI provided Agent Ybanez a substance, which later tested positive for cocaine base and had a net weight of 0.5 grams.

On September 4, 2014, similar events as the previous day took place. Officers and agents of the DPS and the FBI surveilled the CI arrive and depart 1211 South McCampbell Street. The CI met with Agent Ybanez and turned over a substance, which later tested positive for cocaine base and had a net weight of 0.66 grams. Later the same day, Agent Ybanez swore to the facts in a search warrant affidavit before Judge Joel Johnson in San Patricio County 156th Judicial District, and was granted a search warrant for 1211 South McCampbell Street, Aransas Pass, Texas.

On September 5, 2014, Corpus Christi Police Department (CCPD) Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) team gained entry to GONZALES' residence. CCPD SWAT officers located GONZALES laying down on a sofa in the living room. A CCPD officer observed GONZALES attempting to hide an object in GONZALES' clothing. GONZALES was immediately handcuffed and searched. The officer located a green bottle on GONZALES containing a hard rock like substance. The substance later tested positive for cocaine base and had a net weight of 23.65 grams

Law enforcement personnel conducted a methodical search of 1211 South McCampbell Street, locating ammunition, firearms, U.S. currency, cell phones, and documents pertaining to the Texas

Mexican Mafia (TMM), a violent prison/street gang. A Drug Enforcement Agency TFO located ten (10) rounds of .380 caliber ammunition inside a top drawer of the master bedroom. Your Affiant located 238 rounds of .22 caliber ammunition inside a kitchen cabinet. A DPS agent located a locked safe in the living room. The Aransas Pass Fire Department responded and assisted in opening the safe which contained: over \$2,500, the TMM constitution, a TMM roster, and the vehicle registration of a 1994 Cadillac. A Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms Special Agent located a false compartment inside the 1994 Cadillac. The compartments contents include: over \$18,500, two (2) cell phones, two (2) pistols (a Taurus PT-22 semi-automatic and a loaded H&R model 929 revolver), and a single round of .45 caliber ammunition. The false compartment also contained a plastic bag containing coffee grounds, which investigators believe was used to mask the scent of possible contraband.

GONZALES was arrested and transported by the Aransas Pass Police Department to the San Patricio County Jail.

AUSA Michael Hess approved the federal prosecution of GONZALES and the filing of this complaint.

Your Affiant believes that the aforementioned information constitutes sufficient probable cause to believe that DAVID GONZALES has violated Title 21 United States Code, Section 841(a)(1), by knowingly or intentionally manufacture, distribute, dispense, or possess with intent to distribute a controlled substance.

Nicolas A. Kucera, Special Agent, FBI

Date

<u>08,2014</u>

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence,

B. JANICE ELLINGTON

U.S. Magistrate Judge